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January 28, 2022

**By ECF**

The Honorable Naomi Reice Buchwald  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

**Re: *United States v. Karim Elkorany,*  
20 Cr. 437 (NRB)**

Dear Judge Buchwald:

The Government respectfully submits this letter in the above-captioned matter to request, with the consent of the defendant, that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), from today, January 28, 2022, until February 28, 2022, to permit time for the parties to continue to discuss a potential pretrial disposition of this matter. If the parties are unable to reach agreement within that time, the Government expects to ask the Court to set a trial date. *See* 18 U.S.C. § 3771(a)(7) (victims have the right “to proceedings free from unreasonable delay”).

Respectfully submitted,

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